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John gave me three flyers: East Broad Top Railroad, Strasburg Rail Road, Canals Hugh Moore Park. He was showing me a gun that is now his but which belonged to his grandfather when his mother called. His grandmother was in need of having her grass cut, and she wanted it done "now." John got very irritated. His mother and Kathy arrived and the whole family got irritated with Mr. John Peter Baberman (Spencer) who wanted her grass cut. John asked me if I would mind going over to his grandmother's. Off we went, the lawnmower in the back of the van. When we got to 20 Spencer Street, he descended from the van like a swarm of locusts on the lawn: John on the power mower, I used a hand mower, Mrs. B. (John's mother) trimmed. Everyone was extremely annoyed except me. I relieved John and cut most of the lawn - which is very hilly. At one point John tied a rope around my waste as we cut the hill. It was all very very funny. It must have appeared to the passerby as if I were some kind of a slave who was tied to the house and worked. We finished in about 45 minutes, and left with great speed. It was a veritable blitz-cut, if you please. Connie drove me back here and I bathed and got ready for the 7:30 P.M., Historical Society meeting. At about 6:45 P.M. I went out and began watering the flower boxes. My colleagues began to arrive: JUB, RJT, Sue Stephens, Hank Loftis, Jr., Mary Lou Dearie, Joe Pascoe. I got Mary Lou to water a couple of flower boxes. The three principal items on the agenda: flower box maintenance; the Lecture and Film Series 1983; the videotaping. It was a pleasant meeting. Skip Race gave Tommie an Irving Theatre ticket and Tommie gave it to me for the collection. Tommie was in an extremely distant and pouty mood. At the end of the meeting (about 8:30), he disappeared. John and I went to Mister Donut for some refreshments and at 9:30 I walked John up the street to N. Church